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Premier W. L. Mackenzie King will visit Fernie on Tuesday next, October the 25th, accompanied by Hon. Charles Stewart, Hon. P. J. A. Carling, Hon. J. B. McGovern and Hon. Dr. J. H. King.

A luncheon is to be given by the Fernie Board of Trade, at which the prime minister and other members of the distinguished party will speak. Tickets for the luncheon may be secured up till Saturday evening from Mr. H. E. Douglas or Mr. Sherwood Herchmer.

We understand that quite a number of local parties of Liberal leanings will attend Fernie on that date.

Deputations from the Fernie and Blairmore branches of the Home Bank Depositors' Relief Committee will wait upon the premier at Fernie, supported by Mr. G. G. Coote, member of his district in Ottawa.

C.S.E.T. CONCLAVE

A conclave of C.S.E.T. will be held at Bellevue this afternoon and evening, to be addressed by Mr. Taylor Station, Dominion father and leader in this work, of Toronto, Ontario. Mr. Wallace Forgie, the provincial secretary of boys' work and other prominent speakers are expected to be present.

In the neighborhood of 200 boys and their leaders will be present. Group competitions, commencing at 4:30 will be a feature, but more especial will be the banquet that will follow, at which the parents of the boys are invited.

About fifty boys from Blairmore, in charge of Rev. W. T. Young, will attend.

The near approach of Halloween has caused many local store windows to be attractively decorated.

DEATH OF MR. L. H. PUTNAM

This community received a severe shock on Sunday night when the news spread around of the death of Mr. Loring Harrison Putnam.

Mr. Putnam had been ill but a few weeks and the end was rather unexpected. Up to at least a minute or two of his death he maintained consciousness, but passed away quietly and apparently without suffering.

Mr. Putnam was but 38 years of age and one of the brightest and most prominent lawyers in the province. He came to Blairmore from Liverpool, Nova Scotia, on July 14, 1911, and immediately took up practice in law in the premises now occupied by the law firm of Gillis & MacKenzie on Victoria Street. His first appearance in court here about two weeks later, when he ably and successfully defended a couple of clients under a criminal charge. His career since that time has been noted with delight by his many admirers.

His predecessor here was Mr. Robert Gordon Munro, B.A., B.L., a native of Digby, Nova Scotia, who died on February the 20th, 1911, after but a few months of practice.

During his thirteen years of practice here, Mr. Putnam made many friends and acquaintances, all of whom held him in the very highest esteem.

He is survived by three sisters, two of whom reside in the State of Massachusetts, the third in his native province of Nova Scotia. He also leaves a widow, Mrs. Inez Putnam, residing here, with whom all join in sympathy.

Funeral took place yesterday afternoon from the residence on Victoria Street, and following an impressive service conducted at the Union church by the Rev. W. T. Young, the remains were laid to rest in the General Protestant cemetery. Hundreds of citizens attended, in addition to scores of friends from outside points.

Pallbearers were: Mr. R. F. Barnes, Coleman; Mr. J. E. Gillis, Mr. Robert Gray, Blairmore; Mr. Hugh D. McMillan, Cowley; Mr. Alex. M. Morrison, Coleman; and Mr. James Burke.

About forty beautiful wreaths, sprays, etc., adorned the casket.

SENIOR HOCKEY CLUB REORGANIZES

The annual general meeting of the Blairmore Senior Hockey Club was held at the Greenhill Hotel on Tuesday night, some twenty-five or more enthusiasts being present.

Secretary Scott read the minutes of last regular meeting, which were approved.

The financial statement for the past season was submitted and approved.

The report was indeed encouraging,

showing a surplus of over \$350 for the season. This in addition to \$350 or more tied up through the Home Bank, placed the club in a very enviable position.

Chairman W. H. Chappell called for nominations for the various offices, with the following results:

Honorary President — Mr. G. A. Vissac, general manager of the West Canadian Collieries.

Honorary Vice-Presidents — Major

McLeod, Mr. Raoul Green, Mr. Harry Burns, Mr. Donald Lewis, Mrs.

F. M. Pinkney, Mr. L. L. Morgan, Mr.

W. J. Bartlett, Mr. G. A. Passmore.

President — Mr. W. H. Chappell.

Vice-President — Mr. C. Devine.

Secretary-Treasurer — Mr. J. E.

McLeod.

Manager — Mr. W. W. Scott.

Messrs. Chappell and Morgan were

elected delegates to the annual meet-

ing of the Crows' Nest Pass Hockey

League, to be held in Blairmore on

Monday, October 27th, at 3:30 p.m.

On motion it was decided to affiliate

with the Crows' Nest Pass Hockey

League and the Alberta Amateur

Hockey Association, and Messrs. W. H.

Chappell and M. G. Rhynas were elec-

ted to attend the provincial meeting

at Calgary on November 1st as delegate and substitute representative respectively.

In consideration of the very excellent interest and services rendered by the Club during several years past by one who is now in a state of incapacity, Mr. Chappell moved that permission be asked from the Association to grant a substantial sum from the funds of the Club. The motion was unanimously endorsed.

A BLAIRMORE INCIDENT

A peculiar incident in connection with the ban on extracts took place quite recently, in the town of Blairmore. The provincial policeman on duty there informed a grocer that he could not sell lemon, orange or peppermint extracts of any strength and in a blustering manner intimated what would happen if the storekeeper did so. It only goes to show how ill-informed some officials are.

When the retail merchants of the Crows' Nest Pass were having their meeting in Blairmore, this grocer mentioned the incident to Mr. Kellas and Mr. Kellar promised to take this matter up immediately, with the liquor commissioner.

It was only a matter of a day or two before Mr. Dinning was acquainted with the facts of this particular case and he positively states the extracts of 4 per cent strength or over are the only ones banned, whereas, a grocer can sell extracts under this strength. —The Commercial Review.

WHIST DRIVE TUESDAY NEXT

The ladies of St. Anne's church will hold a whist drive at the Greenhill Hotel on Tuesday next, commencing at 8 p.m. sharp, to which all are invited.

It is estimated that 98 per cent of the people never would have their feeling hurt if they'd stop meddling.

Born, on October 13th, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beech, a son.

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### MINERS OF DISTRICT 18 DECIDE FOR AGREEMENT

The miners of District 18, United Mine Workers of America, decided on Thursday last in favor of the agreement, with but a small majority. Several camps in the district voted strongly against, but most of the camps through the Crows' Nest Pass supported the new proposition strongly enough to offset the opposition to a return to work.

The mines at Coleman started work on Saturday, those at Blairmore, Hillcrest and Bellevue on Monday and Tuesday, and since then there has been a gradual increase in the number of men employed and the output from the various mines.

Some little difference between the companies and the firebosses are being overcome, and it is thought that, in this part of the district at least, harmony will prevail for some considerable time.

At Drumheller a somewhat different tale is being related, the miners voting almost solidly against the new agreement proposal, and up to the present but very few men have gone back to work, despite the order of President Sherman so to do.

For upwards of six months the mining industry of District 18, covering Alberta and the southeastern portion of British Columbia, has been at a standstill. As a direct result, quite a number of large coal contracts have been lost by the various coal companies.

### CROWS' NEST RAILWAY RATES

Consequent upon the cancellation by the railway commissioners of Canada, of the Crows' Nest Pass railway rates agreement, Premier Greenfield, representing the Alberta government views, made the following statement:

"The government of Alberta considers the maintenance of the Crows' Nest Pass agreement absolutely essential to western producers. The decision handed down by the Board of Railway Commissioners looks like the beginning of a long fight."

The provincial government acted jointly with the governments of Manitoba and Saskatchewan in the recent hearing at Ottawa, and expect to continue the arrangement.

"Unquestionably an appeal will be taken to higher authority. What the nature of the appeal will be, will not be decided until the government has had an opportunity to study the judgment of the Board and confer with the governments of Manitoba and Saskatchewan."

### HAS CHARGE OF NEW COURSE

W. J. Elliott, former principal of Clarenschool Agricultural School and latterly with the livestock branch of the United Grain Growers, has been appointed by the provincial department of agriculture to take charge of the training of the British boys who will come to Alberta for special courses in practical agriculture at the Vernon School of Agriculture, east of Edmonton. Under this plan which was evolved by Hon. Geo. Headley, minister of agriculture, in conjunction with the British Overseas Settlement Board, young men of from 18 to 25 years of age will be brought to Alberta for special training in agriculture before going on the land. There are now fifty of these young men on their way to Alberta to take this course, they have sailed this week. More will follow later.

Coleman's Crystal Arana made a net profit of \$210.45 last season.

### SHOCK FROM HAULAGE CABLE

Considerable excitement was caused in town one night last week, when a resident of State Street reported to the Mayor that a high-tension wire had fallen in front of his residence and that he had received a shock therefrom. The town's electrician was notified and was on the scene in a few minutes, followed by a crowd of excited citizens. Investigation, however, disclosed the fact that this "high-tension" wire was nothing more nor less than a steel cable that had the day previous been used in hauling building from Frank. It had been left lying along the street, one end reaching the entrance to the horse stable, the only source of electric supply.

Another story is attached to the same "electrocuted" individual, who recently tied a colt to a tree near Cougar Valley and went to visit Karl Anderson at the stable. He returned in a few minutes to find that Anderson's valuable colt had strangled at that tree, his soul having flown to some hereafter.

The above are but a sample of the extra peculiar happenings of the season.

### HOW COME THE PEDDLAR GETS WHOLESALE PRICES

There seems to be something radically wrong somewhere, when any Tom, Dick and Harry, having possessed himself of a peddler's license, can proceed to a wholesaler or jobber, buy his wares and start touring the country peddling his goods in opposition to the legitimate retailer. It is certainly very much worse than the inroads made by mail order houses. These (mendicants) pay for their license and then of them start with more or less a good class of goods and start in direct opposition to the merchant who has to pay his municipal taxes, often a business tax, income and other taxes, and no protection is afforded the gettler in any way. An opportunity unhesitatingly presents itself in this situation for cooperation between the wholesaler and the retailer—the steady consistent customer. If the wholesaler would only sell to the legitimate retailer then this trouble would be eliminated. What we would like to know is the interest of the storekeeper is: Who puts the peddler on the wholesale list? It is about time that the wholesaler and jobber stop selling this class of trade and protect for their own good the retailer.—The Commercial Review.

### COMPLIMENT TO LOCAL CAFE

In our reference last issue to the Masonic district meeting, we omitted referring to the splendid banquet and luncheon served by Mr. Donald Lewis, of the Plaza Cafe. The banquet was served at the opera house, and was without a doubt the best ever witnessed and enjoyed in Southern Alberta. About 250 members of the Masonic Order partook of the many tempting viands provided, and all speak in the highest terms of the efficiency of Mr. Lewis and his staff as caterers. The following letter to Mr. Lewis from the secretary of Rocky Mountain Lodge is worthy of publication:

"Blairmore, Alberta,  
October 16, 1924.  
Don Lewis, Esq.,  
Proprietary, Plaza Cafe,  
Blairmore, Alberta.

Dear Sir:

I am instructed to write on behalf of the above lodge and of District 8, A.F. & A.M., G.R.A., expressing our appreciation of the manner in which the banquet on the night of October 8th was put on by yourself.

The well-decorated tables and the efficient manner of service, as well as the food supplied, were favorably commented upon by practically all partaking thereof.

Yours very truly,  
J. B. Graham, Secretary.

The old Alexandra hotel at Sylvan Lake was destroyed by fire on Sunday afternoon.

You should call and see The Enterprise line of Christmas Greeting Cards before placing your order this season. We have received a stock direct from England and the States, and are offering same to the trade at ten per cent less than Eastern Canadian prices. One advantage we offer is that your own greeting, or wording, can be used. We can also fill your order within twenty-four hours, guaranteeing satisfaction.

At a wedding ceremony in a Nova Scotia town recently the preacher announced the hymn "The Voice That Breathed O'er Eden." The audience arose and started singing "Breathes There a Man With Soul So Dead."

"Last evening, sir, I distinctly saw my daughter sitting in your lap. What explanation have you to make?" "I got here early, sir, before the others."

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#### NEW CONCEPTION OF HISTORY AND CITIZENSHIP

Hon. Perrin Baker, Alberta's minister of education, contributes the following article to a recent issue of the official organ of the United Farmers of Alberta:

In these seething days of wheat pools, cattle pools, political turmoil and bitter economic strife it is very gratifying to see, the front page of your recent issue devoted to a discussion of the less striking but equally vital subject of education.

With the main contention of Mr. E. D. Blain's well written and timely article on "Education and Life" I am in most hearty accord. I am with him when he says "Education should not be concerned solely with the commercial aspect of life." "It should aim to prepare the child for a complete life." It should put the individual in possession of the keys to the rich spiritual "storehouse of the race." With all my heart, Yes! And in view of the amount of criticism commonly offered because the schools are not devoted more completely to the utilitarian needs of trade and industry, this emphasis of cultural needs is a very welcome note amid the din of the market place and the factory. One wishes, however, that the song could have been a little more cheery.

Mr. Blain looks about him and finds the people of Alberta mainly concerned in absorbing the art of making a living. He observes that we are not as highly cultured as is desirable and that the mass of men have no adequate conception of the stupendous human drama in which each is playing his little part. And remembering that we have a system of compulsory state education, he arrives quite naturally at the conclusion that there must be something radically wrong with the schools. "Is our educational system all that it should be?" he asks. By no means. It never was, and it never will be. Being a human institution, no sooner has it been made approximately to meet the need of the hour than, lo! the restive Life, of which it is the expression\* and which it serves, moves on and our little system must be changed to meet the new need of ever advancing life.

Most of our Alberta settlements date back little more than two decades, state education barely a century. Two hundred years ago the mass of men and women in England could neither read nor write. Moreover, not all the stones of the field are capable of taking a high degree of polish. Though the skilful lapidary, bringing all his science and art to the task, may cut and polish them with the greatest care, some will never

give forth a gleam, nor throw back a spark of the sun's radiance caught from afar. They will never grace the diadem of a king, but they may very well serve humbler and perhaps more useful ends. Why despair of our people or of our schools? That wide sweep of mental horizon, for which Mr. Blain so earnestly pleads, with the power it gives of comparing today with yesterday and so long, long before, should give a large faith in the Power that moves the world and should curb our fretful impatience with the slow-moving wheels of progress.

But your contributor makes very serious charges, which, if true, would constitute an unanswerable indictment of our schools. I am sure they must have been made without an adequate knowledge of the courses of study that are being followed, and I trust he will not take it amiss if, while welcoming this article with its plea for a broader culture, I take issue with him on two or three points.

The accusation that our schools are launching pupils on the sea of life without giving them an inkling of the thoughts of the great masters\* seems to be unwarranted in view of the

amount of time devoted to literature

and the large place given it in the

course of studies. Space does not permit me to enumerate the very long list of authors whose work is presented, but it could be truthfully said that when the student has completed his high school course there is scarcely a name of any importance in English literature with which he should be unfamiliar, and the wide range of reading which has been required of him would, undoubtedly, satisfy any that he has been given a very thorough introduction to "the treasures of literature." To be sure, the result is often not all that could be desired, due sometimes to the limitations of the teacher, and sometimes to those of the student, and occasionally to both, but the importance of the study of literature is being increasingly recognized in the schools of Alberta, and the amount of attention given to it has easily doubled or trebled during the last generation.

That our schools are presenting an asinine perverted teaching of history and patriotism\* is a statement that would scarcely be made by anyone familiar with the present course in History and Citizenship. This course

has been most carefully written with the express aim of showing the political and industrial development of the people, and with a minimum of emphasis on kings and battles. It aims to give the child an adequate conception of the various institutions in which the life of today finds expres-

sion, and to develop in him a proper sense of his privileges and responsibilities as a member of a modern, democratic society. Neither can it be properly said that our educational system is devoid of idealism and concerned solely with the commercial side of life. An attempt is made to give the child some appreciation of art and music, and throughout the entire course in literature and history and civics there runs a dominant note of fine idealism.

There is a "divine discontent" which, while cherishing the good that is, yearns for the better that is to be, and struggles toward it. There is also a discontent of quite other origin which is nothing but a chronic and unreasonable dissatisfaction with whatever is, to whose myopic eyes distant fields always look green, and scenes close at hand, however beautiful, have no charm. The first is dynamic—the divine urge of all progress. The second is paralytic. It produces nothing but discontent and results in wretched futility. These two, though so unlike in character, present an outward semblance of likeness. Care must be taken lest, while thinking we harbor the angel of light, we have taken to our bosoms her soul sister.

Admittedly our schools are not perfect. No effort must be spared to improve them, but while this is being done let us cherish them and to their utmost capacity. "Use what we've got."

Edmonton, October 10th, 1924.

#### CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

The Caverly judgment in the Chicago murder case has aroused practical people to the sense of danger, has caused them to "expunge again the essentials of character and the springs of conduct and to give more thought to the necessity of safe-guarding society.

Nothing in the controversy over the death penalty stands out more clearly than the unfairness of the opponents of capital punishment, when they declare that its defenders are animated by a desire for blood. It is the argument of the attorney that abused the opposing counsel because he had no better case. The defenders of capital punishment are beginning to get in their evidence, and it does not consist of "abusing the plaintiff's attorney."

It consists of examination of facts, and comparison of results, where

hanging for murder is the law, and

hanging where it is not, where the law is enforced and where it is not; comparisons drawn in the world of today, when conditions are similar, not between widely separated epochs and social conditions.

In some instances the comparison

is between different usages in the same State or the United States, within a few years—as for example

the fact that our neighboring state of Arizona recently abolished capital punishment and soon had such an

increase of murders that she had to restore it. Arizona knows more about punishment than she did. Ten Swiss

cantons had to restore the death pen-

alty after having abolished it. The Swiss are intelligent. France abolished the death penalty. It saved the lives of many murderers. But it cost the lives of innocent people, for murder increased 68 per cent in three years, and the gallows came back.

In England and Wales murderers

are generally and promptly hanged

in this country, you take 17 times the

chance of being murdered that you

would in England or Wales. The

reason is that in one year there were

over 7000 homicides in the United

States and only 85 murderers suffered death. An American murderer has

79 chances of escaping the gallows to

one that he will hang. As far as life

alone is concerned, it seems about as

safe to commit murder in the United

States as to cross Market street.

Saving murderers from the gallows

is called "Progress." It is not. San

Francisco Chronicle.

Perrie's Board of Trade has decided

on a fee for the tourist campaign

for the Red Cross. The fee to be

cents per car. No less than 669 cars

with 1701 persons registered at their

campsite this season.

#### GOLF

The ladies of the Blairmore Golf Club will play an 18-hole competition winter golf—on Saturday, October 25th. Choose your own partners.

The 18-hole handicap competition for the ladies was played on Saturday, October 18th. The prizes put up by the members were won by Mrs. Granger and Mrs. Stevenson, first and second, respectively.

#### MISSION AT ST. ANNE'S CHURCH

A most successful Mission was held during the week of October 13th in St. Anne's church, Blairmore, conducted by the Very Rev. Dean Fitzpatrick.

The dean, who is possibly one of the most fluent speakers of the west, delighted his audiences with every sermon. In every sense of the word, the Mission was a decided success, and it will go down in the history of the parish as the first Mission ever held here.

The beautiful little church was well filled at every conference, and most all the parishioners received Holy Communion during the Mission.

#### INTERMEDIATES

##### RECEIVE TROPHY

At a meeting of supporters and players of Intermediate Hockey, held at the Greenhill hotel last night, formal presentation of the beautiful "Cruickshanks' Cup," generously donated for intermediate competition by Mr. George E. Cruickshanks, of Hillcrest, took place.

As Mr. Cruickshanks was unable to attend, the presentation was made in a very fitting manner by Mr. Joseph McIntyre, of Bellevue, president of the league. In receiving the cup on behalf of the Blairmore Intermediates, Mr. H. H. Griesbach made suitable reply.

The cup is now on exhibition in the window of the Blairmore Pharmacy. Shields bearing the names of last season's players will be attached in the course of a few days.

The boys are to be congratulated for their success last season and there is every reason to expect the same excellent showing from them in the approaching season. It is generally felt that the best exhibition of hockey last season was staged by the Intermediates.

A whist drive and dance will be staged in the near future to raise funds necessary to start the season with.

The meeting last night was well attended, but there was no representation from points outside the immediate district. It is hoped that at least even teams will comprise this league—Coleman, Blairmore, Bellevue, Hillcrest, Limberlost, Pincher Creek and Cowley.

The home team this season will be comprised of all home-town boys, deserving of the fullest support of the hockey fans.

The reorganization of the Club will take place probably next week.

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#### MARRIED AT EDMONTON

Coleman citizens were greatly interested in a wedding that took place in Edmonton on Tuesday, the 16th. The popular young man was Mr. Frank Graham, assistant postmaster for Coleman, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graham. The bride was Miss Elizabeth Kennedy Fraser, B. A., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fraser, Edmonton. Miss Fraser was an assistant principal at Coleman.

The wedding took place at the residence of the bride's parents, at 10 a.m., the Rev. Dr. McQueen of First Presbyterian church officiating.

Miss Mary Fraser acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. Jack Graham assisted as best man.

Miss Bessie Truman played the Wedding March as the bride, on the arm of her father, took her place before the waiting bridegroom. The floral decorations were elegant. About thirty invited guests, almost all relatives of the bride, sat down to a splendid wedding breakfast after the ceremony. The popular young couple left on the 12 a.m. train for Calgary and from there took the evening train for Spokane, where the honeymoon is to be spent.

A large number of friends were waiting to get a glimpse of them as they passed through on Wednesday morning's train. The happy couple will take up residence in Coleman on their return.

#### NOTICE

Will the party who was seen to pick up a fountain pen, by mistake from the desk at the Union Bank on Wednesday, October 16th, between 11 and 12 a.m., kindly leave same at the post office and oblige. Box 62.

#### CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. L. H. Putnam desires to thank her many friends for expressions of sympathy in her recent bereavement.

One "pig" difference between the bachelor and the benefit is that the latter fears only one woman.

Some say my car is made of tin, And I'll admit it looks like sin.

But to the world I'm keen to tell This simple fact: It runs like hell.

A team of Chicago All-Stars were sent to Alberta to beat the world champion Edmonton "Grads" at baseball and were defeated in the first game on Tuesday night by a score of 26 to 13.

Local hockey fans are naming Rev. Capt. Bob Pearson, of Lethbridge, a president of the C. N. P. Hockey League, or the Alberta Amateur Hockey Association.

Joseph Wilson, alias Joe McDonald alias John D. C. Caldwell, and Thomas McLean, two of the three men captured at Vulcan, charged with robbing a harvester for the sum of \$320, have been sentenced to serve three years in prison.

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#### RED CROSS DAY

##### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31st

##### WHAT IS THE VALUE OF RED CROSS?

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6. Health Education.
7. Emergency and Relief Service.

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By the Red Cross. By the Red Cross Collection Box. Give a Red Cross Dance with an Entertainment, October 31st. Give a Bazaar. Give Your Elevator Agent to accept it and give you a card ticket. The official receipt will be forwarded later.

Everybody—Everywhere—Help Red Cross.

Headquarters—Beveridge Bldg., Calgary, Alta.

## POOL ESTIMATES WHEAT YIELD AT 265,000,000 BUS.

Regina.—The Inter-Provincial Wheat Pool Selling Agency estimates the total wheat crop of the three prairie provinces at 265,000,000 bushels.

This is approximately one hundred million bushels less than the estimate recently published by a Winnipeg newspaper, according to A. J. McPhail, President of the Selling Agency and of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool.

Condemning exaggerated crop estimates as "misleading and detrimental to the farmers," Mr. McPhail said the newspaper's estimate was "certainly, dastardly attack upon the integrity of this court and an attempt to intimidate the court to take under advisement the gravity which he must face for Nathan Leopold, Jr., and Richard Loeb, confessed kidnappers and murderers of Robert Franks."

The remarks of the court came out of a clear sky and startled the crowded court room into a shocked silence. Mr. Crowe's "jaw" dropped, and he blanched visibly under the judicial broadside. "Your honor, I had—" he began, but the judge interrupted him.

"The State's Attorney knew full well that his remarks would be heralded far and wide," said the court. "He knew, too, the court would have no opportunity to reply or defend himself from criticisms except by the action he has taken."

The judge read a prepared statement, and at its conclusion announced he would give the decision September 10, at 9:30 a.m., "unless illness prevents."

"The report is misleading," said Mr. McPhail, "because it is based on the supposed acreage sown to wheat and takes no account of the fact that hundreds of thousands of acres have since been plowed under."

The Inter-provincial wheat pool selling agency estimates the yield in Saskatchewan will be 150,000,000 bushels at the outside, with 70,000,000 or 75,000,000 bushels in Alberta, and 97,000,000 bushels in 40,000,000 bushels in Manitoba. This estimate of 265,000,000 bushels for the three provinces at the best is based on reports received from 28,000 farmers reporting on their own districts.

### Bordeaux Jail Investigation

#### Discover Plot to Liberate Four Men Under Sentence of Death

Montreal.—Liberation from Bordeaux jail of four of the six bandits who held up the Hochelaga Bank earlier in April last, looted of \$142,000, was the result of a plot.

One of the main aims of the plot was the real aim of the plot, which was smashed, when Guglielmo Serafini was detected making his way out of the prison early Monday morning.

Ramifications of the plot have been laid bare by the investigation ordered by the provincial government. Reliable information is to the effect that, had the getaway plans succeeded, Leo Morel, Frank Gamblin and Leo Davis would have followed Serafini to freedom from "death row," where they are awaiting execution October 24. The trio, it is understood, have been confined with Serafini in adjoining cells of one wing of the prison. Tony Frank and Mike Valentine are in another wing.

### Treaty of Lausanne

#### France is Fourth Power to Ratify the Treaty

Paris.—The French Senate has ratified the Treaty of Lausanne, re-establishing peace in the Near East with only twenty negative votes. The chamber had voted ratification on the commission have left for the east.

### Will Learn Fate Soon

#### Chicago Youths to Receive Sentence On September 10

Chicago.—After portions of the closing argument of Robert E. Crowe, States Attorney, had been stricken out by Judge John R. Caverly as a "cowardly, dastardly attack upon the integrity of this court and an attempt to intimidate the court to take under advisement the gravity which he must face for Nathan Leopold, Jr., and Richard Loeb, confessed kidnappers and murderers of Robert Franks."

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### MacLaren Willing To Make Another Trial

#### Will Attempt World Flight If U.S. Aviators Fail

Edmonton.—"If the Americans do not succeed, I'll take it again next year," So stated Major A. Stewart MacLaren, British flying ace, concerning possibilities of another attempt at a round-the-world flight. Major MacLaren was in Edmonton enroute from Vancouver to Winnipeg, and stopped off the train to lock around a bit.

"What do you think of the Americans' chances of getting through?" the correspondent queried in the course of a brief interview with the noted aviator.

"I believe they stand a good chance of completing the flight," he replied. "Of course, they have a number of advantages still to overcome, and the result of the journey won't be exactly smooth sailing. But they are getting good co-operation from the United States navy, and with decent luck they ought to make it."

### Will Defer Action

#### Board of Grain Commissioners Consider Changes in Tariff Regulations

Winnipeg.—The Board of Grain Commissioners were in private session, ostensibly to consider proposed changes in the tariff regulations raised by representatives of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Wheat Producers' Limited.

It is thought likely that the board will defer action on the suggestions until the report of the Royal Grain Inquiry Commission has been laid before the Government. Members of the commission have left for the east.

### Report Fewer Drug Addicts in Canada

#### Noticeable Improvement Especially in B.C.

B.C.—Premier Oliver will not be accompanied by Government counsel when he attends the sitting of the Board of Railway Commissioners in Ottawa on September 17. He stated today he saw no need for legal assistance when the board takes up complaints against the restoration of the Crow's Nest Pass agreement freight rates.

Unemployment in Great Britain

London.—Unemployment in Great Britain has been slowly growing worse the past six weeks, and last week the number of people out of work had increased by thirty thousand over the previous week. The total number of unemployed at present is estimated at 1,123,000.

#### Trade With Germany Grows

Ottawa.—Canada imported goods from Germany to the value of \$6,041,606 during the year ended July, nearly double the amount of the previous year. Canadian exports to Germany during the twelve months were \$17,411,669, an increase of seven million over the year previous.

#### To Probe Liquor Exporting

Winnipeg.—On the border, probe into the liquor export trade along the Essex border will be instituted shortly by the Government, it was learned here. More stringent regulations are in prospect which will make the export business much less profitable than it is at present.

British troops number 157,499, of whom 102,273 are at home. This does not include 16,964 in India.

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### United States Is Invited To Disarmament Conference

Chicago.—The League of Nations has invited an official delegation to the United States Government to send an official representative to participate in the deliberations of the disarmament committee, which will be appointed by the league assembly. This initiative, which is unique, is the outgrowth of United States participation in the league's preliminary study to elaborate a convention for international control of the traffic in arms.

### Alberta's Dairy Pool

#### Vigorous Campaign Will Be Carried On Through Harvest Season

Calgary.—All documents for the formation of the Alberta Co-operative Dairy Pool are now in the hands of Attorney-General Brownlie, who met the investigating committee of the provincial board in Banff.

Throughout the harvest season a vigorous campaign of information concerning the advantages and workings of the pool will be carried on, and about November 1 a definite drive for the signing of contracts will be launched.

### H. B. ROAD MUST BE COMPLETED SAYS MINISTER

The Pas, Man.—"The Hudson's Bay Railway is not a political football. It is the policy of the Liberal Government to see that the line of Sir Wilfrid Laurier that this route should be developed primarily for the benefit of all Canada, neither for the east nor the west, and Canada has been committed to build the road by both Liberals and Conservatives," declared Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Federal Minister of Agriculture, speaking at a luncheon tendered by The Pas Board of Trade.

"Now, the war has been over five years, and I believe Canada is now capable, financially, of going ahead and completing the Hudson's Bay Railway. The Panama Canal route has always been known to be a 'hot route' for wheat and cattle, but it has been made necessary by the so-called 'cold route' through Hudson's Bay, and should not become a similar success. Any national enterprise is more or less a gamble, and the Hudson's Bay Railway should present no more elements of doubt to our minds than was the building of the C.P.R. I am going over the road with an open mind. Tributary industry along the route would, I believe, be sufficient to warrant the completion of the road as a paying branch of the C.N.R."

"There are two kinds of opposition to the road. First, those opposed to the expenditure of vast sums of money hopelessly; second, the fear of great capital loss to established eastern industry. This road should be completed through the efforts of the western provinces. I do not know of any certain way of demonstrating the practicability of the Hudson's Bay route except by trying it. The question arises, will the risk warrant the experiment? My mission here now is to get first-hand information."

### Crop Prospects Improve

#### Sir Henry Thornton Predicts Total Yield of 300,000,000 Bushels

Montreal.—The west's wheat crop will run at least 300,000,000 bushels this year, Sir Henry Thornton, President of the National Railways, stated when he returned to this city after a five weeks' inspection tour that carried him to the Pacific coast.

"Things are not nearly so bad as they have been represented to the people earlier in the season," said Sir Henry. "Three weeks ago I said the crop would be about 275,000,000 bushels. From later reports that I received I think the harvest will reach certainly 300,000,000 bushels, that is unless some setback has occurred in the last few days of which I have received no information."

### Favorable Trade Balance

#### Balance of Trade With U.S. Now More Favorable to Canada

Ottawa.—Canada's so-called balance of trade with the United States is being made more favorable to the Dominion. In the twelve months ended July, imports from the United States exceeded Canadian exports to the United States by \$142,083,000. In the previous twelve month the excess of imports over exports was \$191,365,000. Canadian exports to the United States in the twelve months ended July, were \$242,10,000, an increase of approximately twenty millions over the previous year; imports from the United States were \$565,899,000, a drop of thirty millions from the previous year.

#### Seaplanes On Guard

#### Powerful Planes Will Now Patrol Coast of British Columbia

London.—The coast of British Columbia, copper wire bars from domestic copper have been rolled within the past few weeks by the Consolidated Smelters. In British Columbia, advice received by the Government from this first state that seventy-eight tons were recently shipped.

New Canadian Industry

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It is the first result of the bounty on copper provided in last session's legislation.

#### Death of E. J. Chamberlin

Ottawa.—Edward J. E. Chamberlin, aged 73, recognized as one of the foremost competent and successful railroad men in the Dominion and one of the foremost operating experts on the continent, died recently at Pasadena, Calif., according to word reaching the capital. Interment will be made at St. Albans, Vermont.

#### Compulsory Wheat Pool For Australia

Melbourne.—Announcement of the Government of Victoria's proposal to form a compulsory wheat pool, was made by Premier G. M. Prendergast, at the opening of the Victoria legislative assembly. The Premier also announced that the Government proposed to establish an agricultural bank.

### A Distinguished Visitor



LADY DIANA COOPER  
Actress and daughter of the Duke of Devonshire, who is the distinguished British visitor to the city.

### Would Hold Off Increase In Cargo Rates On Grain

Edmonton.—A request has been made by the Ottawa authorities that the Ottawa authorities take steps to hold off the increase of cargo rates on grain by the Vancouver Harbor Board until opportunity has been given for a thorough investigation and a hearing at which all interests involved may be represented. Premier Greenfield has sent a wire to Hon. Mackenzie King and the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, in which he asks that they take action in accordance with previous understandings in the matter.

### Drastic Regulations

#### Manitoba To Tighten Up On Sale of Beer

Winnipeg.—Drastic regulations governing sale of beer in the province have been recommended to the Government of Manitoba by the cabinet, at a meeting, passed an order in council bringing the new recommendations into immediate effect. In future no beer can be sold except in glass bottles, the sale of draft beer being entirely cut out. A minimum bottle is limited to the purchase of 72 quart or 120 pint bottles of beer per month. In alternative, he will be permitted to purchase 72 quart or 120 pint bottles of beer per month. The sale of beer in kegs, barrels or anything else but glass is absolutely prohibited.

### Strange Epidemic in Japan

#### New Disease Is Responsible For Heavy Mortality

Tokyo.—Several of the most eminent physicians have left hurriedly for the western provinces, where a new epidemic, resembling spinal meningitis, is reported to be raging, causing nearly 900 deaths in recent weeks.

The local physicians call it narcoleptic meningitis. The victims undergo the usual symptoms of spinal meningitis, and then fall into a coma state, remaining so until death. The mortality is at the rate of 65 per cent.

Japanese physicians say that the cause of the disease is not known. Every summer a few cases have been reported in the western provinces, but never so epidemic or virulent.

### ADVANTAGES ALL WITH CANADA IN GROWING WHEAT

Washington.—The Republican campaign text book, which has just been issued, devotes much space to the subject of the "farmer and the tariff," and this connecting dwell on the idea that the tariff rates wheat have been necessary because the Canadian wheat grower has been compelled to sell at a loss in balancing the budget.

It is estimated that \$40,000,000 gold marks will be saved for the Government. General conditions on the labor market are bad, owing to the economic depression in most branches, and it is held improbable that many of these discharged employees can find work elsewhere.

### MEN WHO GUIDE DESTINY OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE

Ferry, Scotland.—Hammer Macdonald, the British Prime Minister, in a speech here alluded to the heavy responsibilities of the people governing the extraordinary federation of self-governing nations comprising the British Empire. Mr. Macdonald said they sometimes had the feeling that human wisdom and strength were unequal to the task of enduring them. "And yet," Mr. Macdonald added, "there is something so fine and strengthening in it all that the work can be done. The work itself makes its success almost inevitable."

The Premier referred to the recent review of the British fleet off Spithead. He remarked that many who viewed it thought the line of the battle fleet a very short one.

"That shortening was a great achievement," Mr. Macdonald declared. "Great Britain signed the compact of Washington, and Great Britain always shall, and must, carry that compact and honor its signature."

Remarking that he was going to Geneva shortly, but that he was unable to say what would be done there, Mr. Macdonald continued:

"But, whatever happens if we are to go on with this process of disarmament we cannot do it alone. It must be mutual, with common consent. The other nations must stand alongside us. London recently we managed—I do not want to exaggerate it—to make a bit of a beginning toward better things."

"So long as I hold the position I now occupy, all my energies will be directed towards making that beginning successful in further efforts."

### Germany Discharges State Employees

#### General Reduction Necessary To Aid In Balancing Budget

Berlin.—Four hundred thousand of the 1,600,000 state employees have been discharged in Germany during the past few months, and now proposals for a general reduction of officials to aid in balancing the budget. It is estimated that \$40,000,000 gold marks will be saved for the Government. General conditions on the labor market are bad, owing to the economic depression in the most branches, and it is held improbable that many of these discharged employees can find work elsewhere.

### France Reducing Expenses

#### Government Decides to Cut Down on Budget of Ministries

Paris.—The French cabinet decided upon a radical overhauling of Government expenses, with a view to strictly balancing the budget, and it was agreed that Premier Herriot and Finance Minister Clement should begin on September 8 the task of eliminating all unnecessary expenses from the budget of the various ministries. This revised list of appropriations will then be considered by the cabinet and a budget bill will be prepared and given to Parliament at its spring opening session.

#### Want West Indian Trade

Ottawa.—While no announcement has been made respecting the appointment of a Canadian to investigate trade conditions in the West Indies, with a view to negotiating a new trade agreement between Canada and that colony, it is probable that Hon. Thomas A. Low, Minister of Trade and Commerce, will go south to carry on the preliminary work.

#### Want Leader For Alberta Liberals

Calgary.—Following the resignation of Hon. J. R. Boyle to the Alberta bench, two names only have been mentioned with any frequency in connection with the leadership of the Liberal party in Alberta. They are C. R. Mitchell, provincial treasurer and member for Bow Valley, and W. M. Davidson, editor of the Calgary Albertan, independent member for Calgary.

#### No Labor Troubles

Regina.—Saskatchewan has been unusually free from labor trouble during the present year, strikes or lockouts having been recorded. The nearest approach to trouble was the dispute between the city and its power house employees in Moose Jaw, and this was amicably settled by arbitration.

#### Stefansson Is Returning

Wellington, N.Z.—Valhalla Stefansson, Arctic explorer and discoverer of the blonde Eskimo, who recently made a trip into the interior of Australia, has sailed for San Francisco on the steamer Tahiti.



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### Shall Parliament Be Supreme?

The decision of a majority of the members of the Board of Railway Commissioners ordering the withdrawal from operation of the Crown's Nest Pass freight rates, raises one of the biggest domestic issues ever confronting the people of Canada. The question involved in this amazing order is not merely one of dollars and cents to the people based on the rates of freight they shall be called upon to pay. Important as this economic aspect of the question may be, it fades into insignificance compared with the legal and constitutional questions involved.

The issue now before the people in Canada is whether the Parliament of Canada is the supreme power in the making of laws, or whether a body of some half dozen men created by that Parliament has the right to nullify and set at naught an Act of Parliament. By the decision of four members out of six, the Board of Railway Commissioners arrogate to themselves full power to treat an Act of Parliament as "a scrap of paper," and by so doing impose on the people of Canada, by force, in the shape of railway freight rates that have the approval of Parliament.

And the Act of Parliament thus neutered is one ratifying and giving effect to a contract entered into by the Government of Canada acting for the people as a whole with the Canadian Pacific Railway. Therefore, another issue raised by the decision of the Board of Railway Commissioners is the sanctity of contract. If the C.P.R. is not bound to fulfill its contract with the people of Canada as set forth in the Crown's Nest Pass Agreement, the question at once arises whether the people of Canada are bound to fulfill their part of the original C.P.R. contract providing exemption from taxation in perpetuity for C.P.R. property in these Western Provinces.

Furthermore, if the C.P.R. is not bound by its contract to maintain the lower freight rates provided for in the Crown's Nest Pass Agreement, how can the Canadian National Railways, as the successor of the old Canadian Northern, be bound by the rates provided for in the Agreement with the Parliament of Canada under which that railway was extended westward across the prairies?

Under the Crown's Nest Pass Agreement, which the Railway Board now sweeps aside as in no way binding on the C.P.R. in the matter of freight rates as specified in that contract, the C.P.R. received from the people of Canada a cash bonus of \$11,000 per mile to assist in the construction of the Crown's Nest Pass railway. The C.P.R. accepted those millions of dollars and thereby obtained direct access to the rich agricultural districts of Southern British Columbia and has since acquired control of the traffic of that region which formerly had all gone over a short line into the United States. In exchange for this financial assistance the C.P.R. agreed to reduce freight rates on a selected list of articles below the then existing lowest freight tariff. Now the Railway Board rates that the C.P.R. is not bound to live up to its contract, and declares that the power of the Board to thus nullify the contract and impose higher freight rates on the people of Canada is superior to the power of Parliament itself.

Aside altogether from the financial considerations involved, the people of Canada will not for one moment accept the dictum that a Commission created by Parliament is superior to its creator. Under the British form of constitutional government, Parliament is supreme. Courts are created to interpret and administer the laws passed by Parliament, but they cannot make laws nor over-ride those passed by Parliament. And the Board of Railway Commissioners are constituted as a Court which hears evidence and renders decisions.

It is true that the Act creating the Board of Railway Commissioners instructs and empowers that Board to remove any discriminations in rates or in traffic arrangements which may exist. It is also to be admitted that the tariffs filed by the railway companies under the Crown's Nest Pass freight rates did contain discriminations in various ways and places. But in view of such discrimination, the Railway Commission is bound to remove and respect other Acts of Parliament and specific contracts entered into by Parliament. There are other ways of removing the discriminations created by the railways themselves in the freight tariffs filed by them than to accept the arguments of the lawyers employed by these railways, over-ride an Act of Parliament, and increase rates.

By their decision the majority of members of the Board of Railway Commissioners have raised a real issue in Canada and have started something which they cannot control. Certain it is, the people of Canada will never consent to their Parliament occupying an inferior position to any other body in the country, and least of all a body which Parliament itself created.

#### Breaks Grain Record

The Hutterite colony south of Raymond, Alberta, according to a statement made by its leader recently, has established a unique record in grain production. In the five years they have been in Southern Alberta, the colony has produced more wheat than in all the years of its operations in North Dakota, extending over two decades. In the last five years the Hutterites in the Raymond district have produced 284,000 bushels of wheat.

#### For Humane Slaughter

The operation of a gun discharging by compressed air, which kills animals by the impact of a blunt instrument, was outlined by Dr. F. H. Rowley, president of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Massachusetts, during a discussion of humane methods of dispatching animals slaughtered for food at a meeting of the American Humane Association held in Toronto.

#### Famous Westminster Hospital

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#### Crop Prices in 1922 and 1923

Prices Ruled Higher in 1923 Than in Previous Year

Statistical tables in the report of the director of the Dominion Experimental Farms for the year ending March 31, 1924, give comparisons for the years 1922 and 1923 of yields and prices of farm crops in Canada, and a comparison between the yields and prices in Canada and in the principal provinces and in British Columbia. These tables show an increase in prices for the crops in 1923 compared with 1922, in the case of full wheat, from \$1.01 to \$1.02 per bushel; flax seed from \$1.72 to \$1.77; corn for husking, from 83 cents to 92 cents; potatoes from 90 cents to 1.02 per hundredweight; and turnips, mangolds, etc., from 54 cents to 59 cents, also per hundredweight. Buckwheat was stationary at 84 cents per bushel.

The total yield of the crops increased in the majority of instances in 1923 over 1922, the exceptions being: Ryegrass, which decreased from 32,373,400 bushels to 23,231,800 bushels; peas from 31,700,000 bushels to 2,898,200 bushels; beans from 1,303,300 bushels to 1,041,700 bush.; corn for husking from 12,785,000 bushels to 13,608,000 bushels; potatos from 55,745,300 hundredweight to 55,497,000 hundredweight; turnips, mangolds, etc., from 43,973,500 hundredweight to 38,116,500 hundredweight; and fodder corn from 5,879,000 tons to 5,320,800 tons.

#### RHEUMATIC PEOPLE CAN NOW FIND RELIEF

##### By Driving the Rheumatic Acid From the System

Rheumatism attacks people when the blood is thin and watery, or changes with coldness, thus setting up inflammation of the joints and tendons. Cold, wet weather or sharp winds may start the pains, but the cause is rooted in the blood and to get relief the blood must be treated through the blood. A rheumatic person can get relief, if a rheumatic doctor can be found. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are unsurpassed, and for that reason do not fail to give relief to many rheumatic sufferers who have given a fair trial. Among rheumatic sufferers who have proved the great value of this medicine is Mrs. Simonds J. Tamm, Indian Head, Saskatchewan. For a long time she was an intense sufferer from rheumatism and until I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills no treatment I could find would give her relief. I gave her a trial of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and she found them to be excellent. She has had no trouble since so bad that she could not move around the house without help, and finally I had to give up and go to bed. When I called to tell her that she was a success, she said, "For God's sake, don't tell anyone I could not bear to have anyone find out near me." Finally one of my neighbors strongly urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I decided to give them a trial. After a few weeks I could get an improvement, and I was able to get up. I kept on taking the pills until all traces of the rheumatism had disappeared and could again do my housework, feeling like a person. Three years have passed since that and there has never been the slightest return of the rheumatism. I can tell you in saying that this relief brought by this medicine is permanent."

"I suggest you get the pills from your druggist or by mail at 10 cents a box from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

##### Organize Bee Pools

Bee pools or co-operative societies for honey marketing or co-operative societies for honey marketing have been organized in Ontario and Quebec, and such is the status of the industry in Western Canada, that the coast and prairie provinces are expected to have similar co-operative associations operating before the end of the season. The next logical step, and the byproduct of the enterprise, will in all probability be a central selling organization.

**Women and Asthma.** Women are asthmatic among the sufferers from asthma by the countless thousands. Even in the most severe cases there is no lack of relief to be had by the use of the special inhalers, such as the inhalers, sent entirely without solicitation, show the enormous benefit it has wrought among women everywhere.

##### Prairie Indians Properly

According to Indian Commissioner W. M. Graham, the Indians of the prairie provinces were never in such a prosperous condition as they are at the present time. There is a prospect of a splendid catch of fur-bearing animals this fall, he says.

No one need endure the agony of corns with Holloway's Corn Remover at hand to remove them.

Manager.—"So you'd like to be off this afternoon to bury your aunt?" Clerk.—"Yes, sir; if it doesn't rain."

Ice from century-old glaciers is used at an Alaskan cannery to keep fish fresh while being shipped to the markets.

Although vanity is supposed to be a feminine trait, one doesn't have to search very deep to find a man who has it.

Many a man who wouldn't make a wife of his cook makes a cook of his wife.

Minard's Liniment for Aches and Pains

#### Manitoba Man Wins Scholarship

Selected For Scholarship Donated By W. C. Macdonald, Reg'd. Inc., Tobacco Manufacturers, Montreal

R. M. White, a native of Darlingford, Manitoba, has been selected as Manitoba's nominee for the \$500 post-graduate scholarship in scientific agriculture, tenable at Macdonald College, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Quebec. This is the second scholarship annually donated by W. C. Macdonald Reg'd. Inc., tobacco manufacturers of Montreal.

Under the terms of the gift two of

the scholarships are awarded to Quebec nominees, this by reason of the difficult

situation there. The remaining

eight go to each province.

In donating these scholarships, which have an aggregate value of \$5,000 each year, W. C. Macdonald, Reg'd. Inc., is adhering to the policy of its founder, the late Sir William Macdonald, who in his lifetime gave many millions of dollars for the advancement of scientific and technical education in the Dominion of Canada. Sir William Macdonald realized at a time when the fact was not apparent to others, that progress in the Dominion would depend in a large measure upon the facilities offered for scientific and technical education. Without education there can be no real development.

It would be impossible properly

to develop the country's natural re-

sources or to advance its basic in-

dustry, agriculture. Accordingly he gave away millions. Part of his princely

benefactions established and maintain

Macdonald College, Ste. Anne de

Bellevue, where these scholarships are

tenable and which is one of the finest

institutions of its kind in the world.

Part of them went to the establishment

of a faculty of engineering at McGill

University. Part went to the Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph.

Mr. White, who represents Manitoba

in this year's post-graduate course,

took grades 9, 10 and 11 in the Mor- den High School in '04, '05 and '06, and spent the following two winters in the Manitoba Agricultural College.

From 1909 until the outbreak of war he was engaged in various capacities in Mani- toba, Saskatchewan and British Col-

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at the Royal Agricultural Show and

won first and second scores in the

grand aggregate, and gold medals for

swine and beef cattle. He obtained a

medal in this judging contest.

#### Commemorating Woman Doctor

##### Dr. Elsie Inglis Organized Scottish Women Doctors During War

A somewhat belated memorial is to be established in London to commemorate that remarkable woman, the late Dr. Elsie Inglis, who organized the Scottish Women's Hospitals in the war and raised one and a half millions for the purpose. The memorial is to consist of an endowment to maintain beds in the Obstetric Department of the Royal Free Hospital. Dr. Inglis always predicted that the war would cost her life, and it did. The London School of Medicine for Women, with whose work Dr. Inglis was so closely connected, is celebrating its 60th anniversary on Oct. 24 and 25 by a service at St. Paul's and a dinner in the Guildhall.

#### Kills Deer With Arrow

Miss Virginia Ayres, of San Francisco, killed an American deer with an arrow for the first time since afeat has been performed since the Indians of the bow. She sighted the deer near a meadow and killed it with a steel-headed arrow shot from a 52-pound bow—nearly double the strength of the ordinary woman's tar-

get weapon.

#### The Oil of Power

It is not claimed for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil that it will remedy every ill, but its uses are so varied that it may be applied upon almost any part of the human body.

It is believed that greatness for itself and its

excellence is known to all who have

tested its virtues and learned by ex-

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It is stated that half the world's

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The women in Holland do their

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The heavy tin foil  
The heavy foil paper

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and mellow sweetness of this

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IMPERIAL TOBACCO CO. OF CANADA LIMITED

#### New Comet Discovered

##### Said To Be Of Seventh Magnitude and Growing Brighter

A new comet, blazing across the sky two hours behind the sun, has been announced at the Harvard College Observatory.

It was discovered by the astronomer, Finster, of Bonn, Germany, on September 15, was observed a day later at Berlin, and second confirmation of it came from Lick Observatory in word that it had been observed there.

As comets go, the new comer is a big one, being of the seventh magnitude, just short of being within the unaided vision of the eye. The reports indicated that it was growing brighter.

A Lowestoft, England, fisherman has made friends with a seal, which always returns after his boat whenever he launches it.

#### The Advantage Of Compromise

##### Develop Ability to Examine Agreements With Eyes Open

Human nature is such that nations and individuals are capable of entering into agreements only after periods of suffering. Some peoples, the more successful politically, come to such agreements more often than do others. The British are famous for notorious compromises. England, on her own island, has not had a violent overturn in 25 years, but the British are usually ahead of the nations which have had revolutions. Some individuals are more capable of creative compromise than others, and these, usually, are the ones who make the real accomplishments. They develop a philosophy which enables them to examine—with eyes open—into every agreement that is presented.

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Choose cooking and baking utensils that carry this trade mark. Choose SMP Enamelled Ware, with its very hard, smooth surface. Heats faster, cleans easier, imparts no metallic flavor, causes no dangerous acid re-actions. Ask for

## SMP Enamelled WARE

Three finishes: Pearl Ware, two coats of pearl-like enamel inside and out. Diamond Ware, three coats, light blue and white outside, white lining. Crystal Ware, three coats, pure white inside and out, with Royal Blue edging.

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MONTREAL TORONTO WINNIPEG  
EDMONTON VANCOUVER CALGARY

## UNION MINERS HAVE RATIFIED NEW AGREEMENT

Calgary—Alberta union miners have ratified the new working agreement, according to an announcement made by Wm. Sherman, President of District 18, United Mine Workers of America.

President Sherman declined to give the figures of the vote. Lethbridge, Drumheller Valley and parts of the Edmonton field went against the agreement, which passed throughout the district by a very slim majority. Secretary Robert Peacock will compile figures tomorrow.

The new agreement, which was signed at Calgary by operators and union officials of District 18, calls for a reduction of \$1.17 a day on contract work, and one-eighth (about 9 cents a day) for day workers. It contains a three-year contract clause, subject to six months' notice to terminate it by either side after March 31 next.

The new agreement goes into effect March 31 last, affecting 8,000 workers in the district, which includes all Alberta and Eastern British Columbians.

### Says New Zealand Will Not Arbitrate

#### Premier Massey Declares Japanese Will Not Be Admitted

Wellington, N.Z.—Premier Massey, in replying to a question by an opposition member in the assembly on the success of Japan's efforts to alter the League of Nations protocol on arbitration, said that Japan had agreed with submission to the League of disputes arising from internal domestic considerations of the various nations, declared: "We are not going to arbitrate. We simply say that they cannot come here unless we give permission—League of Nations. That is the law of our country and we will stand by it."

### Germany Wants To Keep Zeppelin Works

#### Agitation Has Increased For Revision Of Treaty Arrangements

Berlin.—The successful completion of the flight to the United States of the ZR-3 has increased the agitation in Germany for a revision of the treaty arrangements requiring the dismantling of the Zeppelin workshops and hangars at Friedrichshafen.

A committee of the German trade and industry congress has adopted a resolution expressing the hope that the works may not be destroyed but retained "to contribute to the peaceful uniting of peoples and to the common task of bringing about a revival of European and universal prosperity."

### Dominated By Evil Forces

#### Duke of Devonshire Refuses to Councill Of the Labor Government

London.—The Duke of Devonshire speaking at Rochdale, declared that dark, sinister and evil forces dominated the council of the Labor Government, which made gestures to the enemies of civilization.

With regard to the Russian loan, the Duke said there had been mysterious comings and goings, and odd meetings had been held in various rooms and offices, and in a very short time the country, bewildered, suppressed and exasperated, had found out that, despite all denials, a treaty had been effected.

**Two Minutes' Silence Nov. 11**  
Ottawa, Ont.—The usual Armistice Day two-minute silence will be observed on Tuesday, November 11, at eleven o'clock throughout the British Empire. This is in addition to the observance of Armistice Day and Thanksgiving Day on Monday, November 10, in Canada.

**Conference On Reparations**  
Paris.—A conference of all foreign ministers will be held in Paris at an early date to decide on the distribution of payments by Germany, under the Dawes Reparation plan.

### Indian Would Have Representation In Senate

Montreal.—Senatorial representation for the Indian tribes of Canada is a possibility, according to assurance which Dr. J. H. Jacobs, full-blooded Iroquois, says has been given to him by Premier King. Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux and others. Dr. Jacobs, who is medical officer of Caughnawaga, says that the tribes are too scattered to make representation in the Commons possible, and that their only hope of representation is through the Senate.

### Excavation Reveals Old Algonquin Grave

#### Montreal Workmen Find Indian Skeleton Of Great Age

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### Australian Surgeons Claim New Discovery

#### Believe Rigid Paralysis Can Be Cured By Operation

Chicago.—An operation which is believed to offer a partial cure for rigid paralysis, was performed here by Dr. J. G. Hunter, professor of anatomy, and Dr. N. D. Royle, orthopedic surgeon. Both men are attached to the University of Australia. Dr. Hunter, who is 27 years old, is reputed to be the discoverer of the method whereby the operation is performed.

It was explained that the operation is only effective in cases of rigid paralysis, where the patient suffers a twisted or contorted limb which he is unable to control. The surgeon severs the spinal branch of the nerves that cause the rigidity of the muscles. The limb is then learned to be controlled only by actual thought. No reflex action remains and the limb must be educated to function, as does a baby's hand.

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### Settles Claim With Germany

#### Will Let League Decide On Irak Controversy

London.—The foreign office announced that the failure of Great Britain and Turkey to reach an agreement on the Irak controversy, or on the interpretation of the resolution on the subject adopted September 30th by the Council of the League of Nations, had resulted in a decision to refer the question back to the council for a decision. The necessary steps, it was stated, were being taken to inform the general secretary of the league. In the meantime, it is understood, neither side will advance its forces beyond the line now occupied.

### New Canadian Pacific Lines

#### Extensions to Serve Tidale, Wadene and Melfort

The Canadian Pacific have added to the system during the past two years 427 miles of new lines in the west. These line tap rich farming communities and include extensions for Cut-off to Uwinn, Nacimic to Melfort, Tidale to Wadene and Tidale, Wyndmoor to Melfort, Milden to McMurrin, Gunworth to Matador, Conual to Cimmax and Badger to Schuler.

The Tidale-Wadene line connects at Shetho and the Melfort-Nacimic line at Langton, with the Yatton-Saskatchewan lines of the Canadian Pacific, thus affording a new direct route to Sutherland, Eastern and Pacific Coast ports.

Regular passenger train service has been established by the Company on all these lines.

### Wembley Exhibition Shows Gross Profit

#### Figures Will Amaze Public Says Chairman of Committee

London.—In boasting the exhibition officials at the Lord Mayor's dinner at the Mansion House in honor of the British Empire exhibition administration and the overseas representatives at which every part of the Empire was represented, Right Hon. J. H. Thomas, secretary for the colonies, in replying to assertions that the government's actions on certain matters were tending towards disintegration of empire, pleaded, amid loud applause, that the Empire be not made by party of party politics. The colonial office should be free of party bias, the foreign office to do.

Whether or not there is an appeal to the Supreme Court, the question assuredly will come up in parliament. Undoubtedly there will be proposals for a compromise, consisting of the maintenance of the Crow's Nest rates with a slight reduction, but nothing to the old rates westward. If not these, at least, to a scale which will be uniform, and not discriminatory. The situation will be aggravated by the potential political capital that is involved in it.

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While a decision has not yet been reached by the Dominions on the proposal to re-open the exhibition next year, he was very hopeful that they would agree to another run.

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### New Era In Transportation

#### Arrival of Dirigible Marks Beginning Of An Economic Revolution

Lakehurst, N.J.—The arrival of the ZR-3 opens a new era in world transportation and may mark the beginning of an economic revolution," Captain Anton Heinzen, noted Zeppelin expert, told the United Press here.

"Within 25 years aircraft will be used as commonly as automobiles today. The dirigible will prove the cheapest form of transport in the world and placed the responsibility on the others. Japan preserved an attitude of reserve."

### Escaped Lepers Visits Washington

Washington.—The man on duty at police headquarters received a shock when Willard Cenilever, escaped leper from the federal colony at Carrollton, La., walked in and said he had been commissioned by the 180 inmates there to come to Washington and protest against conditions in the colony. He was quarantined.

#### Crown Prince To Study

London.—The Crown Prince of Norway has entered Balliol College, Oxford, as an undergraduate under conditions which compel him to reside in the usual students' houses and restrict his reception of visitors to allotted hours. His course will include political economy, civics and international law.

#### Boys Unearth Treasure

Winnipeg—Gold coins, some of them of ancient vintage, and jeweled ornaments, the whole worth probably \$2,000, were unearthed from the banks of the Red River by boys playing on the river bank here. Their ownership is unknown.

### U. S. HAS A PEACE MESSAGE FOR GERMANY

Washington.—The ZR-3 was declared by Secretary Wilbur, speaking in behalf of the navy, to be "a symbol of peace and friendship between her owners, and other nations." To further define his role, he said the ship would be rechristened "Los Angeles" when the government formally takes possession.

Mr. Wilbur's announcement was made in the course of a speech at a luncheon to Dr. Hugo Eckener, head of the German Zeppelin Company, and several executives of the air cruiser during their visit to Washington. The party was received by President Coolidge, who reiterated the good will expressed by the United States in the arrival of the ZR-3 at Lakehurst, and, after a conference with the national advisory council for aeronautics, the party returned to Lakehurst to resume supervision of activities at the field.

Announcing his selection of "Los Angeles" as the future name of the Shenandoah's consort, Secretary Wilbur expressed the hope it may not only be a constant reminder of the Angel's song, but also that on each Christmas eve from her place in the heavens the song may again be broadcast to the world: "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men." The visit of ZR-3 was of great significance, he said, assuring German officials that the flag which would replace theirs on the ship's forecastle would be that of a nation "honestly desiring the prosperity and happiness of all the German people."

Later addressing the advisory council, Dr. Eckener predicted the "certain development" of trans-oceanic transportation along the lines pioneered by the ZR-3. In answer to questions, he said that type of ship was the logical carrier for the new trade because of the measure of comfort afforded, its safety in all weather, and the ease of improvements along necessary lines.

### Ex-Service Man Greets General

#### Major-Gen. Trotter Grieves Hands With Old Comrade

Toronto.—Willo Prince of Wales' party were proceeding along the Union Station platform, Assistant Baggage-man Jack Houghton stopped Major-Gen. Trotter.

"Excuse me, sir," said Houghton, saluting the general, "I did not know whether I should speak to you or not. I'm Jack Houghton, who served in your company in South Africa. I was with you the day you lost your arm." "Never be afraid to speak to me any time or place you meet him," said the general, as they gripped hands as old comrades can.

**Rand Discover Dies A Pauper**  
Johannesburg, South Africa.—George Walker, discoverer of the richest gold reef in South Africa in 1855, died here recently, a pauper. He had been supported for several years by the chamber of mines in recognition of his discovery.

#### Much Coal In Arctic

Seattle—Discovery of vast deposits of coal within the Arctic Circle in Alaska is reported by Dr. Phillips Smith, of Washington, D.C., geologist of the United States geological survey, who has just returned here.

#### MRS. ALBERT BLUNT

Alberta—Mrs. Albert Blunt, widow of the late Sir Albert Blunt, died at her home in the Kootenay hills, near Cranbrook, on Sept. 12. She was 75 years old.

**KIDNEY TROUBLE!**  
The Kidneys are the Blood Filters—When They Weaken and Stop Up, The System Becomes Overloaded With Urine Acid.

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## Local and General Items

A dance was given in the local opera house on Monday night by the Banff orchestra.

It is estimated that five million dollars are spent on golf in the United States in a year.

The United church of Pincher Creek are contemplating the building of a new place of worship.

Mr. James Maxey, representing the Barber-Ellis Paper Co., of Calgary, was in town on Monday.

Thermometers registered 104 in the sun in Blairmore on Monday, October 20th. Can you beat it?

Mrs. J. S. McEachern, of Lethbridge, was a visitor with her daughter, Miss Charlotte McEachern, at Coleman last week.

Hon. Dr. J. M. Pelletier, agent-general for the province of Quebec in the United Kingdom, died suddenly at Quebec on Sunday night.

On Sunday evening last the congregations of the Anglican and Union churches at Brooks, Alberta, held a joint service of Thanksgiving.

Ten hundred and fifty men are employed by the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company at Kimberley and the monthly payroll is nearly one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

The hunting season for grouse and pheasants has closed in British Columbia. Now the birds are obliged to come over to Alberta for excitement.

Rev. Dr. Ferguson, superintendent of the Presbyterian missions, will occupy the pulpit of the Institutional church at Coleman on Sunday morning and evening next.

A swede turnip, weighing 26 pounds and measuring a little more than 36 inches in circumference, has been grown near Calgary. That's a big Swede, alright.

WANTED—An icemaker for the Blairmore Arena, skating rink and four sheets of curling ice. Apply, stating experience and salary expected, to J. R. Gresham, Secretary, Blairmore, Alberta.

Mr. Howard Stutchbury, fuel and trade commissioner for the province, was in town on Friday last as special representative of Premier Greenfield at the session of the Canadian Institute of Mining & Metallurgy.

Eddie Berger appealed against a sentence of three months imprisonment imposed upon him for a breach of the Alberta Liquor Control Act. Judge Jackson heard the appeal and added another three months to that sentence for good measure.

The many Pass friends of Mrs. Thomas Duncan, of Elk, formerly of Passburg, will be pleased to learn that she has sufficiently recovered from her recent serious illness to be able to come out of the Cranbrook hospital and return to her home.

Notices have been posted by Returning Officer Wright, calling for nominations on October 27th, from 11 a.m. to noon, for a candidate to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Allan Hamilton as a member of the Blairmore Board of School Trustees.

"I confidently predict that the next ten years will be the most prosperous in Canada's history," declared Hon. E. C. Larkin, high commissioner for Canada, in London recently. "Without a doubt, Canada is in a far better position today than any other country in the world."

T. M. Burnett, of Cadomin, was a visitor to The Pass last week, returning north on Sunday night. During his stay here, he attended the Mining Institute Convention and also took in the trip to Kimberley, accompanied by his partner, Mr. George Cruickshanks, of Hillcrest.

Commissioner Dinning says that illicit liquor traffic in Alberta has fallen off by 70 to 90 per cent.

Tattooing the lover's name on the wrist is said to have supplanted the wrist watch as a fad among English girls.

If soap is distributed in powdered form throughout the air of a room and ignited, it will explode with violence.

The remains of the late C. G. Yorkshire were taken to Calgary, where interment took place on Sunday last.

Miss L. Wentzell left here last week for Penticton, where she understands she has secured a position as stenographer.

The Trail News last week celebrated its twenty-ninth birthday. Here's wishing that good old purveyor of "gospel truths" another twenty-nine.

The band of five bandits who were found guilty of murdering the Bank of Hochelaga messenger at Montreal, are to be hanged tomorrow morning.

A novel insurance policy has just been issued by Lloyd's underwriters. It insures against death from excessive laughter while in the theatre.

Rev. W. E. Galloway, a leader in young people's work, was in The Pass during the week, and is attending the C.S.E.T. conclave at Bellevue today.

Miss Agnes Pelletier, of Pincher Creek, had the misfortune to scald both her hands last week while attempting to remove a valve from a steam radiator.

Bill Hillis is still improving on the interior appearance and equipment of the Coleman Cafe and says he will not be satisfied until he has made it the best in the south.

Dr. Camsell, deputy minister of mines, was unable to take in the visit to Kimberley on Saturday last, continuing on to Victoria, where he will visit for a few days before returning to Ottawa.

Rev. H. Tully Montgomery, of Banff, is being married today at the Pro-Cathedral, Calgary, to Miss Ruth Thurber, of Millerton, New Brunswick, daughter of Rev. Canon Thurber.

Further steps will be taken in Calgary to test the provisions of the Lord's Day Act as regards the Sunday sale of gasoline and oil at garages and service stations. The attorney-general's department will bring the case before the appellate division for consideration.

It is not generally known that flour, sugar, starch or grain dusts are capable of working greater havoc than a high explosive such as dynamite. This fact was emphasized by Dr. Wallace, of the University of Manitoba, during his address to the Mining Institute here on Thursday night.

We understand that Messrs. Wilson and Naden, of Ferme, will carry their appeal against the judgment of Magistrate Graham before the privy council, if necessary, to prove that the Alberta Liquor Act or Liquor Control Act is unconstitutional.

Sunday next will be observed by the Methodist, Presbyterian and United congregations throughout Southern Alberta as Missionary Sunday. The special speaker at the local Union church will be the Rev. George Armstrong, of Macleod, while Rev. Mr. Young will officiate in Mr. Armstrong's pulpit. Mr. Armstrong has appeared in Blairmore on previous occasions. He is a forceful speaker and no doubt will draw a large audience on Sunday night.

Some self-thought smart individual a few days ago deliberately cut an initial in one of the large plate-glass windows of the Cosmopolitan hotel. It is the work of a diamond and makes the \$150 pane of glass practically worthless. The party, if caught, should be made pay well for his choice of amusement.

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